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said printing of said image, said coordinate system being capable of locating a specific area of said image on said print ; and

d) printing additional data on said media that provides information with respect to the content of said image at said specific area.

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2.(Amended) A method according to claim 1 said additional information is capable of being scanned so as to obtain said information.

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6.(Twice Amended) A method according to claim 2, wherein said additional information and image is obtained by a single-scanning operation.

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7.(Amended). A print containing an image made using a digital printer and a coordinate system separate from said image made by a digital printer on the same side as said image, said coordinate system not being visible to the human eye under normal viewing conditions and capable of locating a specific location on said image, said print also containing additional data which is not visible to the human eye under normal viewing conditions and is printed on the same side of said image, said additional data is read by scanning and can be associated with a specific location on said image.

REMARKS

The Examiner has rejected Claims 1 - 7, 11 - 15 and 21 - 27 under 35 USC § 102(e) as being anticipated by Nelson et al for the reasons set forth in paragraph 4 and rejected Claims 8, 9, 10, 16, and 17, as being unpatentable over Nelson et al, in view of Hakamatsuka et al for the reasons set forth.

Applicants have amended the application in order to more clearly define and distinguish the present invention over the prior art. In particular, independent Claim 1 has been amended to set forth that additional data is printed on the media that provides information that is to be associated with said specific area of the image content.